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Theme 2014:
“A New Hope”



June 1, 2014

9:55 a.m.

Seventh Sunday of Easter
Sacrament of Communion
Senior Choir Recognition

Ministers - Every Member of this Congregation

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Ballard—Interim Pastor

Jacqueline Anderson—Director of Bell Choirs

Deborah Carter— Director of Youth & Education

Kathy Greene - Office Manager

Rod Cutler - Director of Maintenance



WELCOME. We're glad to gather together as a community of faith today.

No matter where you are on the journey of faith, you are welcome here to join in worship and service. If you are new to this community of faith, we rejoice in your presence with us. Remember, we're not strangers, but rather friends who journey together, following the Lord Jesus Christ. If you are a newcomer, we invite you to sign the pew pad.

PLEASE turn off all cellular phones, pagers and watch alarms during worship. Please refrain from using flash photography during the worship service.

CHILD CARE is available on the lower lever for infants/toddlers . Two child-care attendants staff the infant/toddler room. If you are able to assist in the care of our children, please contact the church office.

LARGE PRINT BIBLES are available from the ushers upon request. Please return the Bible to the ushers after the service. **HEARING ASSISTANCE** devices are available from the ushers or the audio/video console at the rear of the sanctuary. **MISS A WORSHIP SERVICE?** Services are recorded every week. A CD-R is available upon request by contacting the church office at 342-4242.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE about Summerville Presbyterian Church or becoming a member here...call the church office for details at 342-4242.

Note: ENTRANCE TO THE CHURCH (AFTER ANNOUNCEMENTS) WILL BE BY THE FRONT DOOR AND ONTARIO VIEW STREET ONLY!

Rev. Carson O'Hara Mouser can be reached at home at 519-5280, or by email at cmouser@frontiernet.net

Greeter:

Youth Greeter:

Susie Register

Usher: Mike Cubitt

Elders serving communion:

1. DOUG CAINE

2. STEPHANIE POLOWE

TRAVEL: RUTH MC NAMARA



All are invited to a time of refreshment and conversation immediately following worship, hosted today by Todd Mayer.

Join us for Adult Forum. Our speaker, Jim Lynd, will present "Avoiding Scams and Cons".

Thank you to Rev. Thomas Ballard for serving as Interim Pastor from December 3, 2012– June 1, 2014.

Preparation for Worship

The human race has rejected its Maker. Though they were made to be like God, man and woman broke community with God, refusing to trust and obey him. Their community with each other was broken by shame and murder, lust and pride. We confess that in all generations men and women have rejected God again and again. At times we seek in pride to become gods, denying the good limits that define us as creatures. At other times we draw back in apathy, refusing to fulfill our human responsibilities. The antagonisms between races, nations, and neighbors, between women and men, children and parents, between human beings and the natural order, are manifestations of our sin against God

FROM "A DECLARATION OF FAITH"

Order of Worship—We Gather in God's Name

**Those who are able, please stand*

*GATHERING HYMN No. 394 (vs. 1 and 2)

"The Church's One Foundation"

AURELIA

Minister: Christ is risen.

People: He is risen indeed.

TIDINGS of the CHURCH—We invite visitors to sign the pew register

INTERLUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

BRIAN LEAVITT

L: If you are suffering now, be glad and take heart.

P: We will shout for joy when Christ's glory is revealed.

L: Cast all your cares upon the Lord, who cares for you.

P: The God of all grace will support and sustain us.

PRAYER of CONFESSION (UNISON)

BRIAN LEAVITT

Living God, we confess that we look for the living among the dead. You have offered us your Word; still we trust in worldly truths. You have offered us eternal life; still we cling to temporary things. Forgive us; give us new life! Show us the glory of your promise: the life that death cannot destroy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ASSURANCE of PARDON

*SONG of PRAISE


Gloria Patri—Hymn No. 561

ACTS READING	Acts 1: 6-14	BRIAN LEAVITT
GOSPEL READING	John 17: 1-11	BRIAN LEAVITT
ANTHEM	O God, Beyond All Praising	PROULX

Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring,
that we who know your favor may serve you as our King:
and whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill,
we'll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless you still;
to marvel at your beauty and glory in your ways,
and make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise. Amen.

SENIOR CHOIR RECOGNITION 

Thank you to Peg Baker, Lou Ballard, Jerry Buck, Lois Butler, Bill Carter, Marilyn Drumm, Tina Etshman, Mary Haverfield, Ceil Manuli, Margaret Mayer, Stella Megargle, Mike James, Harry Price, Eric Rounds, and Marcia Robeson.

Special Thanks to Christine Stevens-Schwind for being our music director. 

WORDS with CHILDREN,
PRAYER and the LORD'S PRAYER ERIC ROUNDS
(CHILDREN LEAVE FOR CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP)

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER for ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE READING	I Peter 4: 12-14; 5: 6-11	REV. TOM BALLARD
L:	The Word of the Lord	
P:	Thanks be to God.	

SERMON	"Handling a Lion"	REV. TOM BALLARD
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WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

AFFIRMATION of FAITH

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JOYS and CONCERNS, PRAYER of INTERCESSION

REV. TOM BALLARD

*HYMN of REFLECTION No. 151

“If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee”

NEUMARK

PRESENTATION of TITHES and OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING—HYMN #556

WE CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Lord’s Supper

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

L: Lift up your hearts.

P: We lift them up to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: We give thanks to the God whose love is everlasting. (Prayer)

L: Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels, with all the faithful of every time and place, singing:

ALL: (Congregation sings in unison)

Holy, Holy, Holy, God of pow’r and might.

Holy, Holy, Holy, God of pow’r and might.

Heav’n and earth are full of thee, Unto thee all glory be,

Hosanna in the highest, Blessed is He that comes,

Blessed is He that comes, Blessed is He that comes,

Comes in the name of the Lord.

L: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us. Hear our prayer through Jesus Christ our Lord.



WORDS OF INSTITUTION and THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD & THE SHARING OF THE CUP

(DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE ELEMENTS WILL BE FROM TWO STATIONS IN THE FRONT OF THE SANCTUARY. AS THE DEACON COMES TO YOUR PEW, PLEASE COME FORWARD, TAKE A PIECE OF BREAD AND A CUP, AND RETURN TO YOUR PEW. WE WILL COMMUNE AFTER EVERYONE HAS BEEN SERVED. PLEASE INFORM A DEACON IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO COME FORWARD, AND AN ELDER WILL SERVE YOU.)

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (UNISON)

Lord Jesus Christ, you have put your life into our hands; now we put our lives into yours. Take us, renew us and remake us. What we have been is past; what we shall be, through you, still awaits us. Lead us on. Take us with you. Amen.

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN of GOING FORTH No. 172 (vs. 1 and 2)

“How Firm a Foundation”

FOUNDATION

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

The pastor will greet you at the main entrance doors following worship. For the benefit of those who wish to listen to the postlude, please refrain from visiting with your neighbors until you have left the Sanctuary, or until the Postlude is concluded.



We thank Christine Stevens-Schwind for being our music director this morning.

UPCOMING CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP



May 25th:
FAMILY
WORSHIP—
No Children's
Workshop



June 1st:
Church School
Day Rehearsal



June 8th:
CHURCH SCHOOL DAY!

JR/SR HIGH CLASS (GRADES 8-12) - NO CLASS TODAY DUE TO THE HOLIDAY

YOUTH GROUP NEWS:

(GRADES 6-12)

☞ Red Wings Family Night: Friday, June 13, the Red Wings play Lehigh Valley at 7:15 p.m. Ticket prices are the same as in the past for our prime seats behind home plate (\$9.50/each). Please register with your payment by **Monday, June 2nd** (see bulletin insert).

Red Wings Night



The Youth Group and their families invite you to our annual summer baseball event at Frontier:

Friday, June 13th at 7:15 p.m.

Cost is \$9.50/person for terrific seats! Fireworks to follow.

Money and reservation due to Debbie Carter by Mon., June 2nd

Yes, we want to join you! Name:

Number of tickets: _____

(Please make checks payable to SPC Youth Group)

_____ payment is attached _____ will pay to office **by June 2nd**

ANNOUNCEMENTS– Our Church

- œ Please join us for Church School Day next Sunday!
- œ Kathy will be out of the office June 2nd—6th.
- œ The **Brunch Bunch** will meet on Sunday, June 1st. Please contact Susan Connor or Dorothy Caine if you are interested in attending.
- œ Again, the **RAIHN guests thank** Summerville Presbyterian Church; Ceil Manuli, Alice Estes, Cathy Reinhard and Ruth McNamara for their support with food and time spent with them.

ANNOUNCEMENTS– Our Community

- œ If someone you know is unable to drive, even for a time, you know the difficulty they have in planning and in accomplishing even simple things. When you do not drive, there are few options. The ***Give-A-Lift*** Program exists to make life a bit simpler for these folks. Volunteer drivers commit their time and energy to take their elderly neighbors on their necessary errands. If you have a couple of hours a week, or even a month you can make a huge difference in our community. Please contact Sr. Anne Guerin coordinator of the Give-a-Lift Program at 244-8400 ext. 142 for more information.
- œ **The Irondequoit Chorale celebrates it's 20th Anniversary** with a concert of favorites from past concerts and some new arrangements of familiar tunes on Sunday, June 8th at 3:00 p.m. at Irondequoit United Church of Christ, 644 Titus Avenue. All are invited!

June Mission Focus

Feed My Body, Feed My Brain,
Nourish My Soul



Cameron Summer Programs

June's Monthly Mission is support of the Cameron Ministries Summer Programs. The Summer Safe Haven program provides a safe, fun place for kids during the summer months. They go on many field trips, including the Strong Museum of Play, the Beach and Seabreeze. They hold Cheer, Basketball, Cooking, Arts and Crafts, and Dance Clubs. They also have a brand new playground to use! They play board games, Wii & Wii Fit, Game Cube, games on the computers and do Arts & Crafts. There is also a continuous emphasis on reading and academics.

In order to support the reading summer program, we will be collecting books as well as healthy, shelf stable snacks. Please consider donating a new or nearly new book suitable for children in grades kindergarten through 6th grade. Current, high interest books, multicultural

stories and classic children's favorites will be greatly appreciated.

Snacks- shelf stable and individually packaged

- Individual snack mixes (Chex mix, Teddy Grahams, pretzels)
- Raisins (snack size boxes) and other dried fruits
- Sunflower or pumpkin seeds
- Cereal bars or granola bars
- Trail mix
- Juice boxes

Books- some suggestions for new or gently used

- easy read and picture books
- popular series books such as Harry Potter, Diary of a Wimpy Kid,
- favorite children's authors such as Eric Carle, Maurice Sedak, Roald Dahl, Dr. Suess
- multicultural books for children

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."

2 Corinthians 9:7



CALENDAR of EVENTS

Sunday, June 1, 2014

9:25 a.m.	Choir rehearsal	Room 13
9:55 a.m.	Worship, Communion	Sanctuary
11:15 a.m.	Coffee Fellowship	Fellowship Hall

Monday, June 2nd

6:00 p.m.	AA	Rooms 10/14
6:30-7:30 p.m.	Girl Scouts	Room 3
7:00 p.m.	Media P&P	Memorial Lounge

Tuesday, June 3rd

6:30—8:00 p.m.	Nursery School Board	Memorial Lounge
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Wednesday, June 4th

6:45 –8:45 p.m.	Troop 79	Room 14
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Thursday, June 5th

7:00 p.m.	Property	Memorial Lounge
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Next Sunday, June 8th

9:55 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary
	Church School Day	
11:15 a.m.	Deacons	Memorial Lounge
4:00 p.m.	Deacons' Picnic @ the Angolds'	